

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Listing of the claims:

Following is a listing of all claims in the present application, which listing supersedes all previously presented claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A digital television broadcasting receiver comprising a control section for controlling the whole of the receiver, a program memory comprising a nonvolatile memory for storing program data for the control section and character and figure data used for drawing various types of operation screens, and a volatile memory storing various types of data, wherein stored in said nonvolatile memory as the character and figure data used for drawing the operation screens are compressed character and figure data obtained by compressing said the character and figure data (~~hereinafter referred to as compressed character and figure data~~), and the compressed character and figure data are decompressed and are expanded in said volatile memory at the time of initially starting the receiver.

2. (Cancelled)
3. (Cancelled)
4. (Cancelled)
5. (Cancelled)
6. (Cancelled)